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In re Application of: Bourque et al) Group Art Unit: 3634
Serial No.: 10/715,249)
Filed: 11/17/2003) Confirmation No.: 4977
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AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 25, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.